



Knowledge Rich Curriculum Plan

Year 8 Support – Fractions





Lesson/Learning Sequence	Intended Knowledge: Students will know that	Tiered Vocabulary	Prior Knowledge: In order to know this, students need to already know that	Assessment
To learn how to write and represent fractions with diagrams.	 Students will know that a fraction is a mathematical expression representing the division of one integer by another, indicating part of a whole. Students will know that the numerator is the number above the fraction line. Students will know that the denominator is the number below the fraction line. Students will know how to express one number as a fraction of another e.g. ⁴/₁₅. Students will know how to express one number as a fraction of another in a real-life scenario e.g. 3 out of 10 children like cake. Write the fraction of children who like cake. Students will know how to represent fractions by shading parts of a diagram. Students will know how to write fractions to describe shaded parts of diagrams. 	Fraction – a way of representing the parts of a whole or collection of objects. Fractions have a numerator and denominator. Denominator – the bottom number in a fraction Numerator – the top number in a fraction		Mini-Assessment 3
To learn how to find and use equivalent fractions.	 Students will know that to compare or order fractions that the fraction must have the same denominator. Students will know how to compare fractions with the same denominator. Students will know how to order fractions with the same denominator. Students will know that to compare or order fractions that the fraction must have the same denominator. Students will know how to compare fractions with the same denominator. Students will know how to compare fractions with the same denominator. Students will know how to order fractions with the same denominator. Students will know how to order fractions with the same denominator. Students will know how to use diagrams to find equivalent fractions. Students will know how to use diagrams to compare two or more fractions. Students will know how to compare fractions using inequality signs, <, > and = . Students will know that equivalent fractions are two or more fractions that are equal in size even though they have different numerators and denominators. Students will know how to select an equivalent fraction by multiplying or dividing the numerator and denominator by the same integer. Students will know how to compare fractions with different denominators using equivalent fractions. Students will know how to order fractions with different denominators using equivalent fractions. 	Equivalent – equal in value, amount, function, meaning, etc.	 Students need to know how to represent fractions by shading part of a diagram. Students need to know how to write a fraction that is represented by a diagram. Students need to know how to find the LCM of two or more numbers. 	Mini-Assessment 3
To learn how to simplify and convert fractions.	 Students will know that to simplify a fraction they must divide the numerator and denominator by the same integer. Students will know that the simplest form of a fraction is found when they divide the numerator and denominator by the same integer to give the smallest possible integer values. Students will know that any simplified version of a fraction is also an equivalent fraction. Students will know how to simplify a fraction to give the fraction in its simplest form. Students will know that an improper fraction is a fraction that is greater than 1 or one whole. Students will know that they can recognise improper fractions by comparing the numerator and denominator of the fraction. Students will know that if the numerator is greater than the denominator then the fraction is an improper fraction. 	Simplify – make something simpler or easier to manage Convert – change a value or expression from one form to another	 Students need to know how to find equivalent fractions. 	Mini-Assessment 3



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			that	
	• Students will know that a mixed number is an integer and a proper fraction represented			
	together, which is generally a number between two integers.			
	• Students will know that an improper fraction can be written as a mixed number and vice			
	versa.			
	• Students will know how to convert improper fractions to mixed numbers by dividing the numerator by the denominator to find the integer and use the remainder for the new			
	numerator over the original denominator.			
	• Students will know how to convert mixed numbers to improper fractions by multiplying			
	the integer by the denominator and then adding the numerator to give the new			
	numerator with the denominator staying the same.			
o learn how to add and	• Students will know how to add fractions using diagrams.		 Students need to know how to represent fractions by 	Mini-Assessment 3
subtract fractions.	• Students will know how to add fractions with the same denominator by adding the		shading part of a diagram.	
	numerators together over the same denominator.		• Students need to know how to write a fraction that is	
	 Students will know how to subtract fractions using diagrams. Students will know how to subtract fractions with the same dependington by subtracting 		represented by a diagram. Students need to know how to find the LCM of two	
	• Students will know how to subtract fractions with the same denominator by subtracting the numerators together over the same denominator.		 Students need to know now to find the LCM of two or more numbers. 	
	Students will know how to add fractions with different denominators.		or more numbers.	
	Students will know how to bud inactions with different denominators.			
	• Students will know to write their answers in the simplest form when possible.			
	Opportunity for challenge:			
	• Students will know how to add and subtract mixed numbers.			
o learn how to multiply	• Students will know how to multiply fractions by multiplying the numerators and		 Students need to know how to simplify fractions. 	Mini-Assessment 3
ractions.	multiplying the denominators.			
	• Students will know to multiply integers by fractions.			
	• Students will know to write their answers in the simplest form when possible.			
	Opportunity for challenge:			
o learn how to divide	 Students will know how to multiply mixed numbers. Students will know how to divide fractions by multiplying the first fraction with the 		 Students need to know how to multiply fractions. 	Mini-Assessment 3
fractions.	reciprocal of the second fraction.		 Students need to know how to multiply fractions. Students need to know how to simplify fractions. 	with Assessment a
	• Students will know to write their answers in the simplest form when possible.		- statents need to know now to simplify nuctions.	
	Opportunity for challenge:			
	• Students will know how to divide mixed numbers.			
o learn how to find the	• Students will know that to find the fraction of a quantity by dividing the quantity by the		 Students need to know how to multiply and divide 	Mini-Assessment 3
action of a quantity.	denominator and then multiplying the result by the numerator.		integers.	
	• Students will know how to find the fraction of a quantity using simple fractions with			
	numerators of 1. eg. $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{5}$			
	• Students will know how to find the fraction of a quantity using fractions with numerators			
	of more than 1. eg. $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{7}{10}$			
	Opportunity for challenge:			
	• Students will know how to compare fractions of different quantities.			



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To learn how to use a calculator with fractions.	 Students will know how to use a calculator to simplify fractions. Students will know that a calculator will always give a fractional answer in its simplest form. Students will know how to convert improper fractions to mixed numbers using a calculator. Students will know how to convert mixed numbers to improper fractions using a calculator. Students will know how to use a calculator to add fractions. Students will know how to use a calculator to subtract fractions. Students will know how to use a calculator to multiply fractions. Students will know how to use a calculator to find a fraction of a quantity. Opportunity for challenge: 		 Students need to know how to input fractions into a calculator. 	Mini-Assessment 3	
	• Students will know how to complete calculations with mixed numbers on a calculator.				